

SENATE BILL No. 109

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 36-2-14-22.

Synopsis: Coroners and blood or tissue samples. Provides that, upon request, a hospital shall provide to a coroner a blood or tissue sample of an individual who is admitted or was admitted to the hospital and on whom the coroner performs a death investigation.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 8, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 115th General Assembly (2007)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2006 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 36-2-14-22 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2007]: **Sec. 22. (a) Upon the request of a coroner who is**
4 **conducting or will conduct a death investigation on an individual**
5 **who is admitted or was admitted to a hospital, the hospital shall**
6 **provide a sample of the individual's blood or tissue to the coroner.**
7 **(b) A coroner does not need to obtain a warrant to request a**
8 **blood or tissue sample under this section.**

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